Menlo Park Notebook #225 [N-81-06-10]

This notebook covers the period June 1881-February 1882. It contains statistics relating to the canvass of the second district by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of New York. Included also is an index to the canvassers' books. The label on the front cover is marked "General Index" and "Statistics." The book contains 280 numbered pages.

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Dist 2 from vol 4 } 2nd base }

Block 12

Front st	Burners between 5th & no evacuator	totals	Hoiel ways
62	20	20	1
64		3	1
66		3	1
68 & 70		x	x
72		2	1
74			1
	20 x		
Old slip 27		4	1
25			1
23			1
21		4	
19		x	x

{ These first 9 pages are only treat of record }

	Gasjets		Hoisters	Dist 2. Block 6
South st		total		
39½ } Market }	9 2	11 } 2 9 }		
Front st				Block 5
71/75		5	3	
67/69		3	1	
65		x 28	1 5	
63			1	
61		1	1	
59		3	1	
57		3	1	
55 B4			1	
53		7	25H 1 5	

Block 4	Gasjets		Hoisters	Dist 2
Front St				
51		15	1	
47 & 49		8	1	
45			1	
43				
41		10 33	3	
"		5	1	
Coenties slip 20		3		
22		6		
24 } " }		9 3		
26		5 31	1	

Dist 2.

Block 4	Gas jets	Hoisters
South st		
23½	12	1
23	5	
24/25	10	2
26	2 28 }	
	57	3
27	7	1
28	6	1
B5		
29	4 }	1
29	4	
30		1
	21	4
31	8	1
32	4	1
33		1
	12	3

Dist. 2.

Block 5	Gas Jets	Hoisters
South st		
35/4	16 3 }	1
36	4	1
37		1
38		1
39		1
	23 12	5 3 }
Old slip 31	3	
29		1
27	2	
B20 Broad st		
101	11	
101½ & 103		1
B. 14		
105 & 109	{ 2	
105 & 109	5	
	18	2
Water st		
28	4	1
30	7	1
32		1
34		1
	16 34	4 6

Dist 2

Block	Gas jets	Hoister
20 Water st		
36		1
38		1
40	6	1
Coenties slip 5	3	1
3	3	1
	12	5
1	6 5 }	
Pearl st 64	7	1
62		1
60	2 ×	×
	20	2
B21 Water st 58	8	1
B14 Broad st 107		1
109/111		
Front st 26		1
28		1
30		1
	8	5 ↗

Dist 2.

Block	Gas jets	Hoister
14 Front st 30	7	
32 & 34		2
36 & 13+15 Coenties slip }		1
Front 38	5	
40	5	
Coenties slip 13 & 15 and 38 Front }	10	1
	27 8 } 35	4 5 } 9
Coenties slip } 11		
9		
7	7	
Water st 37½	1	
37	4	1
35	10	
	22	1

Block 14	Gas Jets	Roister	
Water st			
33		1	
31	2	1	
27	2	1	
25		1	
23	4	1	
B.3 Broad st			
113 & 115	5		
	13	5	
117	3	1	
119 & 121	2	1	
123	14	1	
125/127	4 3		
	20	3	
125/127	12		
"	4		
"	2	1	
"	2		
	20	1	599
South			
17	×	×	
"	21		
18	10	1	
19 v	31	1	

Block 3	Gas Jets	
South st		
20	15	1
31		2
22	10 6 1	
Cocuties slip. 31	6	
	38	3
29		
27		1
25		1
23	16	
21	6	
	22	2
19	14	
Front		
37	8	
35	2	1
33	2	1

Canvassing Books on hand June 10th 1881

General no [illegible]	Dist	~~[illegible]~~	Blocks	1st Bldg mentioned	Volume of statistics	
1	1	1	10 20 P25	2. Spruce	1. 200	Book 1. given to [illegible] 11/7/81
2	"	2	P25 43 28 51. 35			50 42 34 P27
3	"	3	P18 19			
4	"	4	24 P27			
5	"	5	P9 P18			
6	"	6	P6 8 P9			
[illegible]	"	7	P.6 " P17			
8	"	8	17 23			
9	"	9	23 26.33 41.49 P			
10	"	10	P31 P 32.39 40.47 48.			
11	"	11	P 21 22 31 P82			
12	"	12	P.21 P 5 15 16			
13	"	13	P5 4			

received up to June 10

Genl no	Dist	[illegible]	Blocks	1st Building mentioned	Volume of statistics
14	1	14	P 3, 14 P4		
15	"	15	P.3 P 13. 30 P30 36. 37		
16	"	16	38. 44 P45		
17	"	17	36. ~~46~~ 44		
18	"	18	P 12. 29 P. 36		
19	"	19	P. P 11. 12		
20	"	20	P.11 ✓		
21	1	21	2 ✗ P.1		
22	1	22	P1		
23	2	1	46 47 50 51 ~~45~~	1 wall	✓
24	2	2	~~7~~ 12	117 wall	✓
25	2	4	12. 4. 20, 14. 3. 2. 1. 15. 16 18. 19 29. 30 33	62 front 34 17 31 32 48	1. 54

Canvasser's Books
recd up to June 10. 1881

General No	Dist	Sanit Ins	Blocks	1st Buildings mentioned	Volumes of Statistics
26.	2	3	45.48, 49.52 43.	40 Bway	
27	28	/	7.11. 37.32.8 27.22.3 17.12	48 W. 32	Vol 1. for 100
28	28	/	19.24 29.34 39.	258 W 29	
29	28	/	13.18 23.28 33.38 43.47 46	27 E 26 .37	
30	34 ~~36~~ 37	— —	33.36 43.46 4	~~8 W. 53~~ 57 E 5	
31	28	/	1.5 9.14 19.	280. 5th ave	
Recd June 11					
32	28	/	10, 16.21 26.31 36.26	462. 6th ave	
33	2		39 36. 37.31 38.	11 Morris	
34	2		43.44 42.2 41.	65 Bway	
Recd June 17					
35	28	—	39.45 46.40 35	(209. W 32)	
36	35 38	—	39.49 52.61 2	(101. E. 52)	

Mr Lyman took 22 [illegible]
Recd [illegible]

General No	Dist	Sanit D	Blocks	1st Buildings mentioned	Volumes of Statistics
Recd June 27th Dis 8				6 Books	
37.	28	—	~~37, 32~~ ~~27, 22~~ ~~17.~~	6th ave & 30th st	30.25
38	28	/	10.15 20	700 W 27th	
39	3		~~31~~ 4, 3. 2. 1. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 13. 12. 18. 17.	Trinity church	
40	37		6. 15. 16 25.	8. E. 56	
41	34 37	— —	34.35 44.45 24.5 14.17 4.7.6.	32 W 55	
42	31		1.5.10 15.20.	480. 8th ave	
Recd June 30, 2 Books					
43	3		14 to 16 22 to 25	113 Bedfr	
44	38 35	— —	1,13,16 27,30 38,50 57,62	134. E. 56	
Recd July 2 1 Book					
45	31		20 25 30 35 39 44	530. 7th ave near 38th st	
Recd July 5. 1 Book					
46	38		15. 28. 29.		
Recd July 7. 1 Book					
47	3		21. 30. 31.		

General No	Districts	Blocks	Blocks	1st Building mentions	Volumes where copied
July 14th Recd 1 Book					
48	34	1 9 10 19 20		261.40 44 Lo	
July 15 Recd 1 Book					
49	31	44 40 36 31 26 21 16 11 6 2 41			
July 18 Recd 1 Book					
50	3	5 6 19 20 21			
July 20 Recd 1 Book					
51	34	4 5 14 15 24 25 3 6			

Genl No	District	Blocks	1st Reg mentions
July 21. Recd 3 Books			
52	3	26.27 28.29 32.33 Pier 18.19.20.21	
53	3	34.35.36.43	
54	3	31.40 41.42 52.53	
July 25 Recd 3. Books			
55	31	4.9.14.19.24 29.34.38.43.47 46.42.	
56	32	1.7.~~18~~.13.19.25 31.37.43.49.51 57.52.44.38.32.	
57	3	(W. Washington Market 54)	
July 30 Recd 1 Book			
58	34	20.27.18.7.28. 3.9.13. for Correction Aug 1. (Brot Back)	
Aug 2. Recd 3. Books			
59	30	5.10.15.20.	
60	31	41.37.32.27.22.17 12.7.	
61	34	6.13.16.23.26.	
Aug 6 Recd 1 Book			
62	34	26	

Book	Dist	Blocks	
		1 Book Recd Aug 19	
63.	30	1.6.16.11 46.47.42 37.32.27 22.17.12 7.2.48 43.38. 21 rr 26 rr 31 rr 36 rr 41 rr	
		One Book Recd Aug 18	
64	√ 5	1.2.3.4 5.6.7	
		Aug 20 Recd 3. Books	
65	3	44.45. 46.51 50.49 48.47	
66	30	20..25 30.35	
67	34	12.17.22 27.	
		Aug 24 Recd 1 Book	
68	30	33.28.23 18.13.8.3 49.44	
		Aug 27 Recd 1 Book	
69	7	22.1.23. 24.	
		Aug 29. Recd 2 Books	
70	30	44.39.34 29.24.19 ~~[illegible]~~	

Book	Dist	Blocks	
71	30	40.45 50.4	
		Aug 30 Recd 2 Books	
72	30	9.14. and City Lamps	
73	30.	19.14.	
		Aug 31. Recd 1 Book	
74	√ 5	21.22.23 24.25.26 27.28.29	wrote Russel about the want of care in the figures in the B
		Sept 12th Recd 1 Book	
75	√ 5	30.31.32 33.34.41 40.39.38 37.36.35 42	
		Sept 14. Recd. 1 Book	
76	20	42.33.34 35.36.38 41.40.39 37.31	
		Sept 17. Recd 2 Books	
77	5	43.44.45 46.47.8 Piers	Fowler
78	7	24.28.29 30.46.48	Lemon
		Sep 17 Recd 1 More Book Ph	
79	√ 5	20.19.18.	Fowler

Book	Dist	Blocks	Canvasser
		Recd 3 Books sept 19.	
80	✓5	8.9.10.11.12.13 14.15	waters
81	20 ~~7~~	1.2.3.4.5.6 7.8.	G. Drouin
82	7	2.21.20.25 31.45.49.3 18.19.26.	Parham
83	✓5	15.16.4	
84	20	31.32.27.28. 29.30.26.25. 24.23.	Wm Brooks.
85	20	9.10.11.12.13	G. Druin
86	7	48.47.52.53. 54.55.56.42	J. F. Lennon
87	7	32.43.51.	Parham + Waters.
88	20	13.14.15.16.17. 18.	G. Druin.
89	20	23,22,21,20	Wm. Brooks.
90	20	18,19.	G. Druin.

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	Book	Dist	Blöcke	Canvasser
	91	(11) 24	1	Monroe + Dobbleday
	92	(11) 24	5. 9.	Dobbleday
	93	(12) 7	42. 41. 40. 39. 38, 27. 33, 34 35	Lemmon + Waters
1881 Oct: 14th	94	24	9 – 13	Doubleday
16 15	95	21	1, 2, 3. 4. 5. 6.	Brooks
15	96	7	35, 36, 37, 16 15, 14, 13, 12. 17, 4.	Waters.
15	97	21	35, 36, 37. 38, 39, 31, 32, 33,	Drumm
20	98	7	4, 5, 6, 7. 8. 9 11, 10	Waters
20	99	21	6, 7. 8, 9, 10. 11 12. 13, 14, 15	Brooks.
21	100	21	33. 34. 20. 21 22. 23. 24.	Drumm
22	101	24	13. 17. 21.	Doubleday.
24	102	21.	15. 16. 17. 18. 19.	Brooks.
26	103	21	24, 25, 30. 26. 27. 28 29.	Drumm
28	104	24	25, 29. 2. 6	Doubleday
November [illegible]	105	29	6. 12, 18. 29. 35 41. 47. 53. 59 58. 52. 46.	Brooks.

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Date.	No: Book	Dist.	Blocks	Canvasser
Nov. 4	106	29	36.42.48.54. 1.7.13.19.24.30.	G. Drowne
" 4	107	25	1.2.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.	G.W. Waters.
" 4	108	29	17.11. 46.40.34.28.23.	W. Brooks.
" 5	109	24	6.10.14.18.	Doubleday.
" 9	110	29	11.5.4.10.16.22.	W. Brooks.
" 12	111	25	14.15.16.17.18. 9.10.11.12.13.	G. W. Waters.
" 18	112	29	31.25.20. 54.55.49.43.37.	G. Drowne
" 21	113	29	45.51. 22.27.33.39.	W. Brooks.
" 25	114	24	18.22.26.30.31.	H. Doubleday.
Dec 7	115	29	21.26	
	116	29	38, 32 51P, 57.56.50.44	
	117	29	14.8. 2.3.9.15	

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Date	No. Book	Districk	Blocks	Canvasser
Dec.	118	+ 24	11.7.3.4.8.12.16.	'Dronin' Doubleday off
"	119	* 25	19.20.21.22.23.	Dronin Waters off
"	120	24	31.27.23.19.15.	Doubleday. off
"	121	32	41. 47. 42.48.56.61.60.55 6.12.18.24.30.36	Brooks.
"	122	32	35. 29.23.17.11.	"
1882.	123	32	5.4.10.16.22	"
Jany 5	124	32	28.34.40.46.54.	"
17	125	32	27.21.15	"
"	126	32	26.20.14.8.2.3.9	Dronin
18	127	32	59.58.53.45.39.33.	Brooks
24	128	12	12.23.36.47.46.35.22.	"
	129	12	32.31. no 33. 20.9. 11.10.21.34.45.44.	"
Feby 8	130	25	24.25.26.27.28.29.	Dronin
15	131	12	8.7.19.6.18.30.43.42.	Brooks
	132	25	Special "Call backs".	Dronin
Fe 20	133	12	29.17.5.4.16.28.	Brooks

5/7 January 1st 1882

Districts Canvassed —

Total number districts 38

1, 2. 3. 5, 7. 20; 21,

24, 25; 29, 30, 31, 32*

34, 35. 37; 38,

28.

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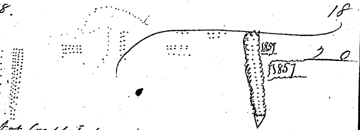

* Not Completed.

1/4 2. 3 4 7. 7. 7. 1

+ Blocks 24. 25. 26. 27. 28, 29 ~~to be~~ finished — 25" District

* Blocks ~~7~~, ~~3~~, ~~4~~, ~~8~~, 12. ~~16~~, ~~20~~, ~~24~~, ~~28~~ and part 11 finished — 24" District

1882

Date	No. Book	District	Blocks	Canvasser
Feby 20	134	24	20.24.28.	
"	135	12	37.24.38.25.	G. Drouin
"	136	12	41.40.27.15.3.2.14.	Brooks.
Mar 7	137	12	26.39.13.1.	"

Books Brot up fm 255

July 5/82

11.8, 134.120.109.104 } Dis 24
91.94.92, 101, 114,

108.116,115.117,112. } Dis 29
106, 110.113,105

107.111.119.130.132 D 25

46.84.85.88.85 } D 20
90.81

Districts and Blocks, with reference to Canvassers Books

Dist 1

Block	Canvassers Books		Canvassers Books
1	21.22	18	4.5
2	21	19	4
3	15	20	1.
4	13.14	21	11.12
5	12.13	22	11
6	6.7	23	8.9
7	~~6~~ 7	24	4
8	6	25	1.2
9	5.6	26	9.
10	1.	27	4.
11	19.20	28	2.
12	18.19	29	18
13	15	30	15.16
14	14.	31	10.11
15	12	32	10.11
16	12	33	9
17	7.8	34	2

All this is upon chart

Dist. 1

Block	Canvassers Books	Block	Canvassers Books.
35	2.		
36	16.17.18		
37	16.		
38	16		
39	10.		
40	10.		
41	9		
42			
43	2.		
44	16.17?		
45	16		
46	17?		
47	10		
48	10		
49	9		
50	[illegible]		
51	2.		

Dist 2.

Block	Canvassers Books	Block	
1		18	~~29~~
2	34	19	~~28~~
3		20	
4		21	
5		22	~~27~~
6		23	~~29~~
7	~~27~~	24	~~28~~
8		25	
9		26	
10		27	~~27~~
11	~~27~~	28	~~29~~
12	~~27~~	29	~~28~~
13	~~29~~	30	
14		31	31
15		32	~~27~~
16		33	~~29~~
17	~~27~~	34	~~28~~

Dist 2.

Block			
35		52	26
36	33	53	
37	~~27~~, ~~29~~ 33		
38	~~29~~ 33		
39	~~28~~ 33		

Dist 3.

40		1	39
41	34	2	39
42	~~29~~ 34	3	39
43	26, ~~29~~ 34	4	39
44	34.	5	
45	23 26	6	
46	23, ~~29~~	7	39
47	23, ~~29~~	8	39
48	26	9	39
49	26	10	39
50	23	11	39
51	23	12	39

Dist 3.

Blocks			
13	39	30	
14		31	
15		32	
16		33	
17	39	34	
18	39	35	
19		36	
20		37	
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26		43	
27		44	
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29		46	

Dist 3.

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Dist 4

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Block	Canvassers Books	Block	
18		35	
19		36	
20		37	
21		38	
22		39	
23		40	
24		41	
25		42	
26		43	
27		44	
28		45	
29		46	
30		47	
31		48	
32		49	
33		50	
34		51	

Dist 4 Dist 4

Block		Block	
52		69	
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54			
55			
56			
57			
58			Dist 5
59		1	
60		2	
61		3	
62		4	
63		5	
64		6	
65		7	
66		8	
67		9	
68		10	

Missing Blocks

Dist 20 –

Blocks 5
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Dist 3

Blocks 4
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Dist 30

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Dist 31

Blk 3
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Dist 32

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$.000236 = \frac{236}{1,000,000}$

$\frac{66}{1}$ of $\frac{2}{3}$

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4200 .06980

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1,400 .00300

$\frac{\cancel{33}}{1} \times \frac{3}{\cancel{2}} = 99$

$66\frac{2}{3}$) 12,206.093 80

$33\frac{1}{3}$) 100 (3

6 $44\frac{4}{9}$ 86

9)40(4

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$\frac{4}{9}$ of $\frac{100}{1} = \frac{400}{9}$

99 198 300

9)400(44

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$\frac{400}{9}$

3)300(100%

$\frac{2}{3}$ of $\frac{100}{1} = \frac{200}{3} = 66\frac{2}{3}$

3)200(66

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$\frac{2}{3}$ of $\frac{100}{1}$ = 200 $66\frac{2}{3}$

General Information.

To find particulars of any building.— Find it on the general plan or map (lithograph), and note the district and Block.

Then refer to chart A, where will be found, at the top, the districts by number 1 to 38, (from the Battery to 64th St); and upon the left hand margin the Block numbers; where the Block line meets the District Column, the number of the original book written by the canvasser will be found. These books are numbered consecutively upon their reception, on a small gummed label,

Changes of District.

All removals of Blocks from one District to another will be noted upon the general map by blue figures, and lines; and the number of the block, (as it will be noted in the new district) will be increased by 100, so as not to have any duplicates, and any block bearing a number higher than 100 does so on account of such change.

Street numbers

In all the streets from 14 to 59 the Even numbers are on the South side.

Avenues

1	2	3	Lex
O-E	O-E	E-O	E-O
4	Madison	5	6
E-O	E-O	E-O ~~E~~	O·E
7	8	9	10 ✓
E-O	O-E	O-E	O-E
11	12		
O-E			

B'way
O-E

[illegible]
26
$7\frac{1}{2}$

$6\frac{1}{4} - 1\frac{3}{4}$

Rough estimate of
Buildings in 28th Dist —

24
to 34

10 full Blocks
8 to 7 - 800
7 to 6. 800
6 to 5 920
5 to Mad 400
2920
5 houses to 100 ft
146.00 on each street on each side
2
292,$\cancel{00}$ on each street
10
2920 if avg 20 x 100

2 lines to house say 2 1/2, × 2900 = 5800
1450
7250
lines

if 50 on page = 145 pages to
record

Lime and belt

	Aug 18/81
Jas Waters	5
Fowler	5
Lemon	7
Parham	34
Brooks	30
Dunn	30

Pigeon Holes

Fronts 28 Dist	Lights 28 Dist	
1st Dist Claudin	1st Dist Claudin	
Fronts 1st Dist Used	Fronts 1st Dist not used	

Pigeon Holes

plan hung upon wall

Fronts ① 28th Dist	Lights ② 28th Dist	③	④	miscellaneous
Fronts ⑤ 1st Dist. used	Fronts ⑥ 1st Dist. Not used	⑦	⑧	
1st Dist ⑨ Claudin	1st Dist ⑩ Claudin	Canvassers ⑪	⑫	

Drawers in closet

4 Perry	1) Canvasser Books 1st Dist
5 ~~Maps~~ supplies etc.	2) do 2:8 Dist & Record Books
6. atlases Insurance 1&2	3 Rolled plans etc

7) Canvassers Books	8) atlases 3 & uptown

To find what Blocks are done – see Lay cloth / small paper –

$$\begin{array}{r} 2\overset{7}{\cancel{8}}0 \\ 47 \\ \hline 233 \end{array}$$

$2\frac{3}{4} - \frac{3}{4} \cdot \frac{6}{4} = 1\frac{1}{2}$

$1\frac{1}{2}\ \frac{1}{4} - 1\frac{1}{4}$

$4\overline{)8}\ \frac{2}{4}\ 5\frac{1}{2}$

$\frac{1}{}$

$6\frac{1}{4}\ \frac{25}{4} - 1\frac{3}{4}\ \frac{7}{4} = \frac{18}{4} = 4\frac{1}{2}\ \frac{1}{4}\ \frac{1}{4}\ 5\frac{1}{4}$